

.02 Deemed Newborn in an Active MA Case

REVISION 04
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When the MA case is closed for not completing a renewal, AZTECS stops the Deemed Newborn's coverage.

The Deemed Newborn may still meet eligibility requirements for Deemed Newborn Categorical Coverage through the month of the Deemed Newborn's first birthday. Complete the following procedures to allow Deemed Newborn coverage to continue.

WARNING

Conduct an [informal renewal](#) in the sixth month following the Deemed Newborn's birth to ensure that the Deemed Newborn is still living with the mother in Arizona. When a formal renewal for any program is completed in the fifth or sixth month, the informal renewal is not required.

When the budgetary unit fails to turn in a renewal application by the tenth day of the renewal month, AZTECS sends the [X051 notice](#) to the PI. (See [Auto Close](#)) When the PI fails to respond to the X051, the case automatically closes on the 23rd day of the renewal month.

When the PI contacts the local office prior to the 23rd day, and requests that MA continue for the Deemed Newborn participant only, complete the following:

- Approve MA for the Deemed Newborn participant.
- Stop MA for the other MA participants on MADA using the FR Denial or Closure Reason Code.
- Send the [M111 notice](#) to the PI informing the PI of the Deemed Newborn participant's continued coverage.

The PI may contact the local office after the 23rd day, but before the end of the renewal month. When this occurs, and the PI wants MA to continue for the Deemed Newborn participant only, complete the following:

- Reopen the MA case.
- Key the other MA participants OU in the PT field on SEPA.

- Key the FR Denial or Closure Reason Code in the INELG RSN field on SEPA for the other MA participants.
- Approve the Deemed Newborn participant under the age of one in the Deemed Newborn category on MADA.
- Send the M111 notice to the PI informing the PI of the Deemed Newborn participant's continued coverage.

WARNING

When the PI turns in an application but fails to complete the interview, AZTECS stops the MA eligibility for the budgetary unit. Follow the procedures previously listed to allow Deemed Newborn coverage to continue when the Deemed Newborn participant and the mother are both listed on the application.